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1. An infantry regiment is stationed in the Slawinek suburb of Lublin. A military unit with a strength of 2,000 is located in a barracks at Majdanek; its personnel wear yellow cap-bands.
2. An infantry regiment [redacted] and a WOP brigade are stationed in Krosno (R50/Z74). A heavy artillery regiment is carried in Kłodzko (Glatz). Kłodzko also has a WOP brigade of 2,000 men; a dog training school is included in one company of the brigade. 50X1-HUM
3. In Wrocław there are located an engineer battalion, a KBE regiment, and provincial UB Hq, MO Hq, and KGB Hq, the last three located in buildings between ul. Osobowicka and ul. Jugosłowiańska.
4. An artillery firing range is situated about 12 km north of Gliwice (G51/Y97). It consists of a sandy waste area of some 20 square km. About 100 Polish and Soviet tanks take part in exercises. Wrecked tanks serve as targets for moving troops. Tanks are parked in surrounding forests at night.
5. The following are quartered in a large barracks, with a capacity of 4,000 men, in the western district of Halbendorf suburb of Opole: a Soviet mechanized infantry regiment, a tank regiment with about 50 T-34 tanks, and a heavy artillery battery with 21 (sic) cm. guns. Several thousand Soviet troops are billeted in Opole, particularly in the suburbs of Nowa Wieś (Koniglich Hendorf), Gosławice (Goslawitz), and Wrocław (Frauendorf). A Głubczyca Police brigade works in Opole.
6. A heavy artillery battery is stationed in Tomaszów Mazowiecki. It is quartered in barracks built shortly before the war in the forest near the Tomaszów-Piotrków highway. The old barracks in the town are destroyed.
7. A "Kosciuszko" infantry regiment is quartered in pre-war infantry barracks in Świeradów (G52/P45). The old artillery barracks were burned in 1946. Personnel wear the yellow cap bands of the Kosciuszko Division.

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8. In Lodz, an infantry regiment is quartered in the former 31st Infantry Regiment barracks. The pre-war artillery barracks quarter a motorized light artillery regiment. An infantry officers' school is located in the former 28th Infantry Regiment barracks on ul. Obroncow Stalingradu (formerly ul. 11-go Listopada).
9. A firing range is situated about three kilometers southeast of Drawsko (053/R50). The exercises of infantry units from various parts of Poland take place there throughout the year. In the spring of 1951 an armored division arrived there for exercises.
10. The garrison at Zary has three infantry regiments. A WOP Bn is carried in Gryfino, and an SP brigade works in the mines in Kochlowice, near Katowice.

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